1 2 3 4 5 6 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 8 AT SEATTLE 9 CASE NO. C23-0630JLR ANNA PATRICK, et al., 10 **ORDER** Plaintiffs, 11 v. 12 DAVID L. RAMSEY, III, et al., 13 Defendants. 14 Before the court is Defendants David L. Ramsey, III and The Lampo Group, 15 LLC's (together, the "Lampo Defendants") motion to stay discovery and issuance of a 16 17 case schedule pending the court's decision on their motion to dismiss and/or strike 18 Plaintiffs' class action complaint. (Mot. to Stay (Dkt. # 26); see Mot. to Dismiss (Dkt. #25); Compl. (Dkt. #1).) Plaintiffs agree with the Lampo Defendants' assertion that a 19 20 brief stay pending the court's resolution of the motion to dismiss is in the interest of 21 judicial economy and will help ensure that the parties' discovery efforts are relevant to

the issues in this case. (Resp. (Dkt. #27).) Accordingly, the court GRANTS the Lampo

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Defendants' motion to stay discovery and issuance of a case schedule (Dkt. # 26) pending its decision on the Lampo Defendants' motion to dismiss. Dated this 18th day of August, 2023. R. Plut JAMES L. ROBART United States District Judge